

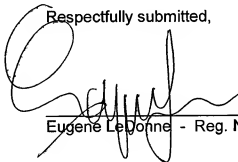
**REMARKS**

The Notice of Allowance and Issue Fee Due dated March 9, 2009 (copy enclosed), indicates that the title for this application is "APPARATUS FOR DISPENSING LIQUIDS". Please note the title was amended in the April 9, 2008 amendment. The amended title is "PROCEDURE FOR CHANNEL ADJUSTMENT OF A MULTI-CHANNEL METERING APPARATUS".

Accordingly, entry of this amendment is earnestly solicited.

Please correct the USPTO records accordingly. No new matter is being added by this amendment.

Respectfully submitted,

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TITLE OF INVENTION: APPARATUS FOR DISPENSING LIQUIDS **Please amend the title as follows:****PROCEDURE FOR CHANNEL ADJUSTMENT OF A MULTI-CHANNEL METERING APPARATUS**

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